

Graphologically Speaking

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Mrs. Lorene Green,

I would like a resume of my basic traits in regard to my personality. Thanking you for an immediate reply, I remain,

B. F., Farmington Hills

Dear B. F.,

The most valuable part of graphology is the insight it provides in helping us understand our personality better. If you are a regular reader of my column, I think you know I usually look for the positive side of a personality. Today I feel it is important to discuss the negative in an effort to help you see that you are probably your own worst enemy.

In your early life, I think there was disparity between the male and female authority figures in raising you. Evidently they were not in agreement as to your upbringing.

While you like people, you do not often reach out to them (lack of endings that reach out on most of your words). Usually you seem aloof. You do not develop warm relationships with others, and do not allow people to get any closer to you than you want them (very wide spacings between

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words and lines compared to the size of the letters).

Also, you often feel that you have been taken advantage of in the past and have your guard up (straight inflexible strokes that begin many of your words). To augment this, you are quite sensitive to criticism (wide loops on your t and d stems).

Patience is not a virtue of yours. Easily vexed, you often lash out at others, expecting more of them than you are willing to give yourself (slashed i dots and some t bars that slant downward and end pointed).

A redeeming quality is that you do not hold a grudge and once a matter is over you are able to forget it and go on

to something else.

Always there are reasons why we behave as we do. I feel that much of your personality goes back to your early life conditioning. But now you are an adult and can take steps to understand yourself and change. As the Edison commercial goes, "The power is in your hands".

I would like to hear from you again, B. F., and best wishes to you.

If you have a question about your personality, write to Mrs. Lorene C. Green, certified graphologist, in care of this newspaper. Please use a full sheet of unlined paper, and write in the first person singular.

Try some safety classes

Safety courses offered by the Bloomfield Hills Schools Recreation-Community Education Department will encourage you to become more cautious while sailing, swimming or boating as well as learning very important lifesaving and first aid techniques.

A new course being offered this fall is "Living with Diabetes," an informative class for the diabetic and members of diabetic's family. This class will be held on Tuesday evenings at Andover High School starting Oct. 1.

Advanced Lifesaving will be held for 10 weeks at the Lahser High School pool starting Sept. 27. Participants must be in sound physical condition and pass a preliminary swimming test.

Boating Safety is offered at East Hills Junior High starting Sept. 13 and once again, is being conducted by the U.S. Power Squadron. Instruction will be for both sail and power boats.

A three-week workshop on CPR (cardiopulmonary resuscitation) will be offered Nov. 21, 28 and Dec. 3 at Andover High School. Steve Price will instruct the class with use of films, lectures and hands-on experience with mannequins to explain this lifesaving procedure.

Area residents interested in learning first aid and personal safety should contact the American Red Cross at 334-3575 and register for their fall program. It is not part of the Bloomfield Hills program.

Pre-registration is required for all programs offered by the Bloomfield Hills Schools Recreation-Community Education Department. To find out more about them, call the recreation department at 334-3578 or stop by their office located at 2800-A Lahser Road (Hickory Grove School) between 8 a.m. and 7 p.m. Monday through Friday. Evening hours are effective Sept. 6.

Gas reserves

The smallest amount of natural gas on reserve in a long time is what we have now. Domestic supplies are dwindling. Proved reserves are at their lowest levels since 1955 and some industries have been suffering shut-downs because of shortages.

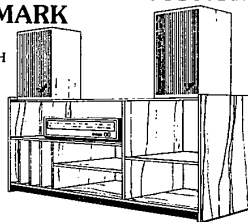
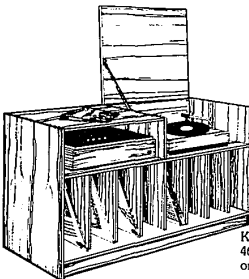
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